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Serial No. 09/265,432

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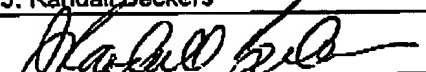
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		Group Art Unit		3661			
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This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 11, 2003, and having a period for response set to expire on November 11, 2003.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

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